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Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121)


Sir:

This is a response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed October 17, 2004. In response, please find attached, as instructed, only the corrected section – i.e. "Amendment to the Claims".

"Amendments to the Claims" are represented by the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Respectfully submitted,

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